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In re Application of :
Li-How Chen et al :
Application No. 10/082,018 : DECISION GRANTING PETITIONS
Filed: February 20, 2002 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b) AND
Attorney Docket No. G074470031US03 : 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)

This is a decision on the petition, filed July 16, 2007, under 37 CFR 1.137(b), to revive the above-identified abandoned application and on the renewed petition treated under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) to withdraw the above-identified application from issue.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) is **GRANTED**.

The petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) is **GRANTED**.

As to the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b):

This application became abandoned for failure to timely pay the issue fee on or before July 25, 2006, as required by the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed April 25, 2006.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has submitted (1) payment of the \$1,400 issue fee, (2) the petition fee of \$1,500, and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay. Accordingly, the reply to the Notice of April 25, 2006 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

As to the petition under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2):

Petitioner requests withdrawal of this application from issue to allow consideration of a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and an Information Disclosure Statement submitted on March 21, 2007.

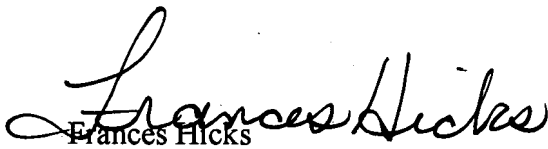
The above-identified application is withdrawn from issue for consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (RCE). See CFR 1.313(c)(2).

Petitioner is advised that the issue fee paid in the above-identified application cannot be refunded. If, however, the above-identified application is again allowed, petitioner may request that it be applied towards the issue fee required by the new Notice of Allowance.¹

The issue and petition fees paid in this case are those for an application claiming large entity status. However, Office records indicate that this application is entitled to small entity status. If this application no longer qualifies for small entity status, a notification of loss of small entity status in accordance with 37 CFR 1.27(g)(2) must be submitted. If large entity fees were paid in error, petitioner may request one-half of the amount submitted. See 37 CFR 1.28(a) and (b).

Telephone inquiries should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center AU 1632 for processing the RCE and for consideration of the Information Disclosure Statement submitted on March 21, 2007.



Frances Hicks
Petitions Examiner
Office of Petitions

¹ The request to apply the issue fee to the new Notice may be satisfied by completing and returning the new Part B – Fee(s) Transmittal Form (along with any balance due at the time of submission). Petitioner is advised that the Part B – Fee(s) Transmittal Form must be completed and timely submitted to avoid abandonment.